NO TROUBLE TO GET HELP.

EDITOR NEW YORK JOURNAL: Your "Free Help Wants" are a wonder to all. I have tried them and always got the help I wanted with no trouble or expense, which makes it of great benefit to both employer and employe. Thanking you for previous courtesies and for enclosed favor.

I remain, yours truly, EDWIN D. SIBLEY.

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PRICE ONE CENT In Greater New York Elsewhere,

# GENERAL EGAN.

Refers Beef Scandal to Inspector-General, Ignoring Egan's Demands.

FISHES GOT ARMY MEAT

290,000 Pounds of the "Embalmed" Stuff Sent Back from Porto Rico.

LOADED ON DUMPING SCOWS.

Soap Factories Also Used a Part of the Canned Beef Sent for Our Soldiers to Campaign On.

Washington, Dec. 28 .- General Miles has played a higher eard than Commissary General Egan by quietly referring the whole "embalmed-beef" scandal to the Inspector General. He took this legitimate and strictly military course, after writing a re-ply to General Egan's demand that the General commanding the army should avow r disayow certain statements to the Jourbefore the Investigating Committee. General Egan's plan was to get a hearing

ore the Investigating Committee, make reply to General Miles's charges and then eneral Miles in the attitude of reding to a charge made by a subaltern, aeral Miles saw through the trick and ped it. To-day me General said: do not propose to enter into any dison of the matter except to say that i I found the troops were being supwith food not fit to eat it was my to find out who was responsible for

## INFANCY AND OLD AGE, DEATH'S DUAL HARVEST.

mother, Summoned, Falls Lifeless to the Floor.

Two sudden deaths occurred in one home at Freehold, N. J., yesterday. The six months'-old baby of Waiter Hurley was found dead in bed a moment after it had been laughing and crowing to its father. The mother was beside it, and discovered its death as her husband left the room. Her mother, Wrs. Sarah Bodemer, of Jamesburg, was summoned, and came on the next train. After a few words of greeting she went upstairs to remove her wraps and fell dead. Her death was eaused by heart disease and shock. The baby's death was due to neute pneumonia.

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The pepartment has already ordered for marine cable, this purpose 166 miles of marine cable, this purpose 166 miles of marine cable, this purpose 166 miles of marine cable, weighing 525 tons. This cable will take about 6,500 cubic feet for colling. The cable is to be colled in skeleton tanks in different holds on the vessel. The cable stand—a dressing-table trinket.

Colonel Bryan stopped in Omaha on his way here and called on friends there. When asked if he thought the expansion question would overshadow the money issue in 1900 he said he thought it will remain an issue unless Congress pledges the Government to keep the Philippines. His colon. Neb., Dec. 28.—Colonel W. J. Bryan arrived here this afternoon. There was no public demonstration. Colonel Bryan stopped in Omaha on his way here and called on friends there. When asked it he thought the expansion question would overshadow the money issue in 1900 would overshadow the money issue in 1900 would overshadow the money issue in 1900 would overshadow the money is the fer this fact. The bottle bottle stand—a dressing-table trinket.

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## THREATEN COLLEGE IF IT TAKES BEER MONEY.

Made by Brewer Busch to a Church Institution.

Hartford, Dec. 28.—Warden Woodbridge handed his resignation to-day to the State Prison Directors upon their formal demand for it. It is to go into effect at whatever time the directors fix.

H. Kirk Woodbridge, a son of the Warden, was recently convicted of deflacation committed while a clerk in the prison and sentenced to serve five years within it. For this reason it was deemed beat that the father should retire from the Wardenship. He is not in any way implicated in his son's offence.

It is of value has been recovered.

About \$400 worth of rope, canned goods, lanterns, etc., is in the hands of the Marshall of the Admiralty, of which one-half goes to the solvors.

The Navy Department has asked the Consult of withhold from sale of effects an American flag and a British ensign.

COUNCIL OF WOMEN.

Arrangements Making for the National American flag in February.

# VIRGINIA FAIR TO BE THE BRIDE OF YOUNG WILLIAM K. VANDERBILT.





Miss Virginia Fair and W. K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

The Journal is authorized by the parties interested to announce the engagement of Miss Virginia Fair, sister of Mrs. Hermann Oelrichs, to William K. Vanderbilt, Jr.

The engagement was formally aunounced to a few friends yesterday at the house of Mrs. Oliver H. P. Belmont, mother of the bridegroom to be.

### CABLES TO BE LAID IN THE PHILIPPINES.

t of the company which fur-beef was in the city to-day Navy Department Will Buy a Ship and his money. Islands by Wire.

Colonel Kimball, of the Quartermaster's Baby Dies Suddenly and the Grand- celved orders from the War Department 1,000 to 1,200 tons for use as a co to lay cables to connect the Islands of the

## BANK CASHIER HAS

National of New Hampshire-H. F. Bailey Arrested.

# FREE TRADE COMES

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ONLY \$400 OF SALVAGE
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Mr. Busch was asked for a contribution to the college.

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UPON THE FATHER.

Warden Woodbridge Compelled to Resign Because His Child Has Become a Convict.

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COLONEL BRYAN AT

rival-He Reiterates His Views Upon Expansion.

## CUBA ORGANIZING.

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Chicago, Ill., Dec. 28.—Adolphus Busch, the St. Louis millionaire brewer, banker and rallroad man, recently gave \$1,000 to a Congregational college in Oklahoma. Now the Woman's Christian Temperance Union threatens to boycott the institution if the directors accept Mr. Busch's money.

The temperance women say that linasmuch as Mr. Busch made money in beer lis not fit to be used by a church college. It is not fit to be used by a church college. The fit of the fittest. Commerce goes with the flat. The fit is not surprising that the events of the past six months should bring to the foreground of national and international consideration the always picture. Proposed to fit is disagreeable person to his foreign colleague and professional associate.

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## MRS. KATE ADAMS KILLED LIKE MRS. DUNNING, BY POISON SENT THROUGH THE MAILS.

Bottle Marked "Bromo-Selzer" Came to Harry Cornish, Well Known Athlete.

Mrs. Adams Took Some for Headache and in a Few Moments Was Dead.

Cornish, Too, Was Poisoned, but Was Saved by the Efforts of a Doctor.

Person Who Sent the Christmas Gift Unknown-Motive, Too, Is Still a Mystery.

poisoned in Delaware by the contents of an anonymously mailed package, so apparently was Mrs. Kate J. Adams brought to her death in New York yesterday morning.

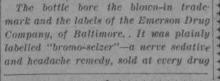
The accounts of the evidence adduced in the trial of Mrs. Botkin, in San Francisco, for the murder of Mrs. Dunning, her babe and her friend, parallel in all important points the prima facie + evidence upon which the story of Mrs. Adams's death must be formed.

Mrs. Adams, a widow, adjudged fifty years old by her neighbors, said to be ing, immediately after taking a dose of scription. supposed headache medicine which had The silver case, with the bottle in it. kin tragedy. been given to her by Harry Cornish, her was enclosed in a jewel box which bore prin

Mr. Cornish, who tasted the powder the packet, a small one, had been rehimself, was made violently ill. Dr. E. eived by Mr. Cornish at the Knickerhad F. Hitchcock, of No. 72 West Eighty- bocker Athletic Club, of schick he is the seventh street, called in to attend Mrs athletic director. No card accompanied Adams, also tasted it, and was nearly

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The drug came through the mail three





Mrs. Kate J. Adams, Who Was Killed by the Poison.

Having a severe headache when she arose yesterday morning, she asked for osme medicine. Mr. Cornish gave her a dose from a bottle he had received as a present. It killed her almost instantly. The doctor who attended her says it contained cyanide of potassium: died suddenly in her apartments, No. 61 store on demand, harmless and very it and the address was written in a hand

West Bighty-sixth street, yesterday morn-generally used, without a doctor's pre-unknown to Conish.

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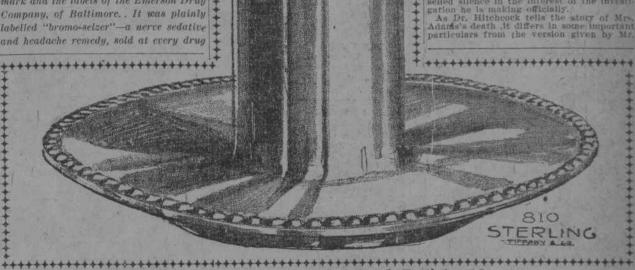
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Silence, Their Rule, Hovey, who was also in the apartment, have absolutely refused to give any information regarding Mrs. Adams's death even to the police.

They based their refusal upon the advice of Mr. McIntyre, whom Cornish consulted by telephone a short time after Mrs.

by telephone a short time after Mrs.
Adams had been pronounced dead by the
doctors. Mr. Melntyre says that he counselled silence in the interest of the investigation he is making officially.

As Dr. Hitchcock tells the story of Mrs.
Adams's death it differs in some important
particulars from the version given by Mr.



Silver Stand in Which the Bottle of Medicine Came.

It was in this bit of metal, bearing the mark, "810, sterling, Tiffany & Co.," that the bottle of bromo seltzer was sent to Mr. Cornish as a Christmas present. He has no idea who sent it, but a dose from the bottle killed Mrs. Adams and prostrated Mr. Cornish.

Mr Harry Cornish Knickerbreker Athletic Cluf Madison And and Fruityfifth Street New Morte City

Facsimile of Directions on the Package Sent to Cornish.